



# TOWN OF ST. LEO

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## Proclamation 13-04 Town of St. Leo, Florida


- WHEREAS:** One of the most meaningful gifts that a human being can bestow upon another is the gift of life; and
- WHEREAS:** more than 28,000 Americans receive a lifesaving organ transplant every year; and
- WHEREAS:** a new patient is added to the national patient waiting list for an organ transplant every 10 minutes; and
- WHEREAS:** over 117,000 men women and children are currently on the national waiting list for organ transplantation, of which more than 800 are in the West and Southwest Florida area; and
- WHEREAS:** an average of 19 people die every day awaiting an organ transplant that does not come in time; and
- WHEREAS:** one organ, tissue and eye donor can save or enhance the lives of as many as 60 people; and
- WHEREAS:** everyone is a potential organ, eye and tissue donor and can register their wish to save lives through organ and tissue donation at [www.DonateLifeFlorida.org](http://www.DonateLifeFlorida.org) or on their driver license;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I William E Hamilton, Mayor of the Town of St. Leo, Florida do hereby proclaim the month of April 2013 as **DONATE LIFE MONTH** in the Town of St. Leo and encourage all residents to consider giving life through organ donation and to sign up on Florida's organ and tissue donor registry by visiting [www.DonateLifeFlorida.org](http://www.DonateLifeFlorida.org) or when renewing their driver license or state identification card.

**DULY ADOPTED AND PROCLAIMED** this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2013.

ATTEST:

  
Joan Miller MMC, Town Clerk

  
William E. Hamilton, Mayor